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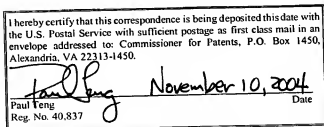
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Pursuant to the applicant's duty of disclosure, the information listed in the attached Form PTO-1449 is brought to the attention of the Examiner. Copies of the information identified therein are also provided.

It is respectfully requested that the information cited in annexed Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner in connection with the above-identified patent application, and that such art be made of record in said application.

The information listed in the Form PTO-1449 was cited in a Partial International Search report issued October 8, 2004 in connection with International Application No. PCT/US2004/005840 which corresponds to the above-identified application. A copy of the October 8, 2004 Communication Relating To The Results Of The Partial International Search is enclosed herewith.

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This Information Disclosure is submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3). To the best of Applicants' knowledge, a first Office Action on the merits has not been issued in this application.

Alternatively, Applicants request consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(1). Each item of information listed in the attached Form PTO-1449 was cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior hereto. Accordingly, no fees are believed to be required in connection with this Information Disclosure Statement.

However, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement and to credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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